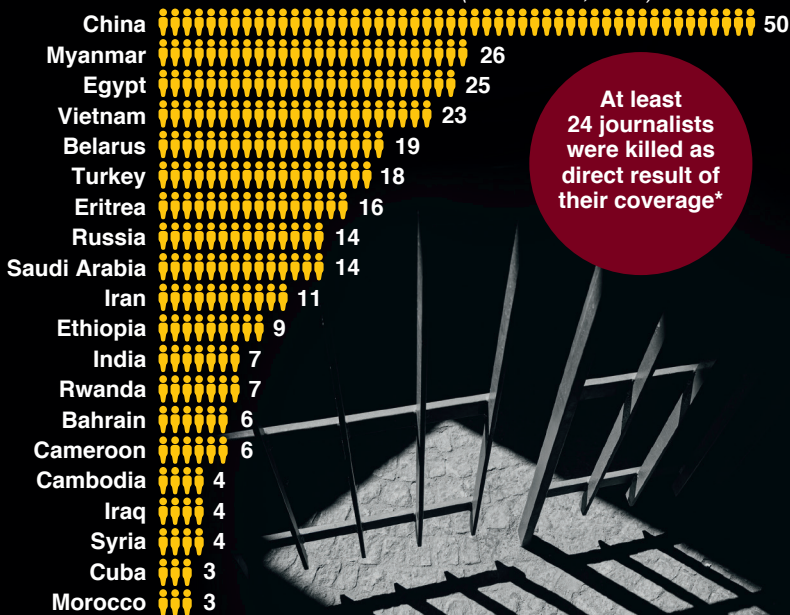


# Record number of journalists jailed

The number of jailed journalists reached a global high in 2021, with China and Myanmar putting a quarter of the 293 media workers behind bars, according to the Committee to Protect Journalists (CPJ)

## IMPRISONMENTS BY COUNTRY (as of Dec 1, 2021)



At least  
24 journalists  
were killed as  
direct result of  
their coverage\*

**Others:** Algeria (2),  
Azerbaijan (2), Benin (2),  
Israel (2), Nicaragua (2), Somalia (2),  
Uzbekistan (2), Bangladesh (1), Brazil (1),  
Central African Republic (1), Democratic  
Republic of Congo (1), Jordan (1), Kazakhstan (1),  
Nigeria (1), Philippines (1), Sri Lanka (1), Turkmenistan (1)

\*18 others  
died in  
uncertain  
circumstances